IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR Examiner: ---

IMPLEMENTING MULTIPLE INSTANTIATED CONFIGURABLE PERIPHERALS IN A CIRCUIT

DESIGN

Docket No.: 03-1002/L13.12-0246

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

ELECTRONICALLY FILED DECEMBER 4, 2008

Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed October 8, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-20.

FEE STATUS

[] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is established by a verified statement previously filed on ---.

FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

[X] other than a small entity \$540.00

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee \$540.00 Extension fee (if any) \$0.00

Total Fee Due \$540.00

FEE PAYMENT

[] A check in the amount of \$____ is attached.

[X] Charge Deposit Account No. 12-2252, the sum of \$ 540.00.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-2252. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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